

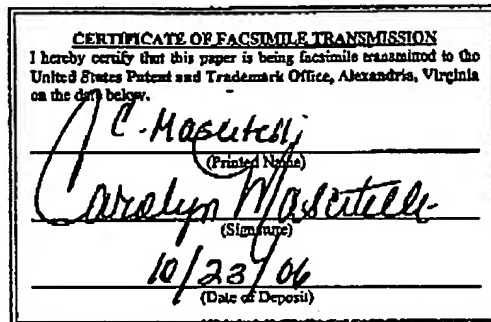
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Rajiv SHAH, et al.

Title: METHOD FOR
FORMULATING A GLUCOSE
OXIDASE ENZYME WITH A
DESIRED PROPERTY OR
PROPERTIES AND A
GLUCOSE OXIDASE ENZYME
WITH THE DSIED
PROPERTY



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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated June 23, 2006,
concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Applicant has enclosed with this amendment a Petition for Extension of Time to make
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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: